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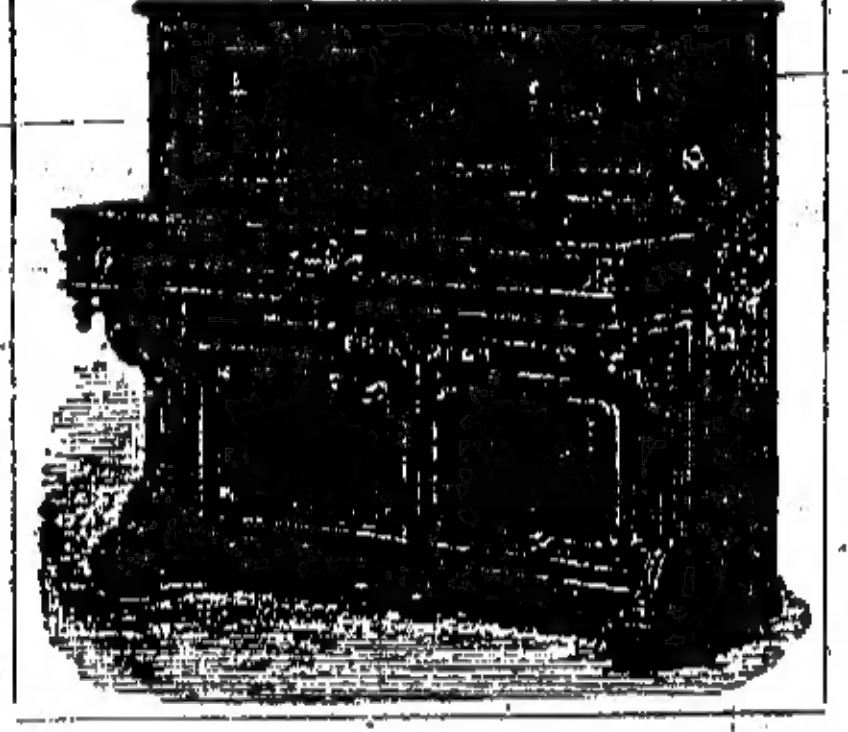
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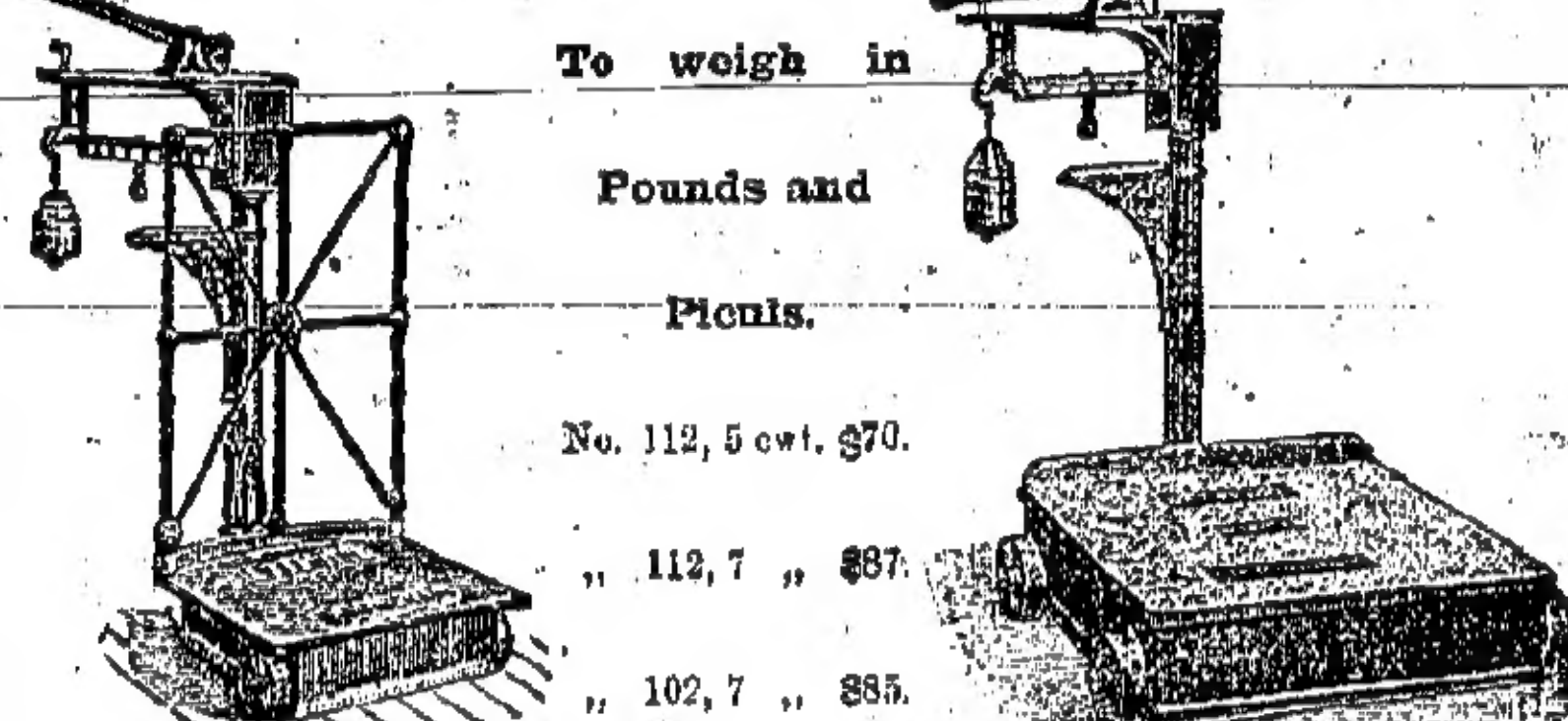
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE First Ordinary Yearly Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Towns, Dairies, WYNDHAM STREET, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 21st Instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of Directors and Statement of Accounts, to the 31st July last.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd Instant, to the 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. HUTTON POTTS, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 15, 1898.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Ordinary Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria Building, on FRIDAY, the 28th January, 1898, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the Year ending 31st December 1897.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 16th to FRIDAY, the 28th January, 1898 (both days inclusive), during which period NO TRANSFER of SHARES can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.,
General Agents for the Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.,
Hongkong, January 14, 1898.

CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAY.

THE Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on SATURDAY, 22nd Instant.

For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,'
T. E. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,'
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For 'The National Bank of China, Limited,'
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For the 'Bank of China and Japan, Ltd.,'
HONGKONG, CHANTREY INGBALD, Manager.

For the 'Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd.,'
S. CHUB, Agent.

Hongkong, January 15, 1898.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

THE OPION EXAMINATION OFFICE and EXAMINER of the Kowloon Customs House will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 28th of January, inclusive, in observance of the CHINESE NEW YEAR'S Festival.

H. M. HILLIER, Commissioner of Customs, Kowloon and District.

Customs House, Kowloon, 15th January, 1898.

THE UNDERMENTIONED INSURANCE OFFICES will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business, on SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Ltd., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

N. H. KOE, Agent, Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., North-China Insurance Co., Ltd., W. H. RAY, Secretary, China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd., SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., Agents, Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd., J. B. COUGHRAN, Secretary, China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., W. H. T. DAVIS, Manager, The Shantung Insurance Co., Ltd.,
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costful than a like appeal to the vanity, or the family pride spoken of as 'common sense,' or patriotism or disinterestedness. There are creditable traits in Western character, with which the Chinese character compares not unfavourably. And reasoning from this we incline to the belief that while education, in the end, will do much to consolidate the national character and to complete the work of reformation, once it is set on foot, more immediate results will be obtained from an appeal to Chinese cupidity. As soon as it is shown that the adoption of Western methods of manufacture, tillage, transportation, &c., in China will result in personal advantage to the Chinese¹⁰ immediate and successful

like, the foundations of the present wall of Ignorant Conservatism will be disturbed and the whole of the superstructure will topple like a house of cards. There is much food for thought in Taw Sein Ko's article. We agree with him, although we arrive at the same destination by a different road, that the position of China is disheartening but not hopeless. Added to Taw Sein Ko's reasons for our hope is the hope that China might emerge from her difficulties in like manner to Egypt. But we hope Taw Sein Ko's suggestion for the creation of an aristocracy in China based on the old-fashioned feudal system will never be realized. On the other hand, we have no doubt the reformation of China will be accomplished as far as possible through her indigenous institutions; but after having shown how rotten and corrupt is the whole constitution it is somewhat paradoxical to

the preservation of old forms and old institutions. One of the first of the indigenous institutions to go must be the system of mandarinism. On the result of the attempt to abolish this rotten system must depend the future reformation of this great Empire and the amelioration of the people.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.
(SUFFICIENT THROUGH LETTERS.)

OUTWARD BOUND.—*St. Renard*, *Atoka*
Maru, Dec. 10; *Prometheus*, 21;
Carnarvonshire, *Maria Valeri*, 24;
Cern, *Tiger*, 28; *Bromwich*, *Erna*,
Glenavon, *Amica*, *Langdon* *Hof*,
13; *Natal*, *Oceanic*, *Palladian*, Jan. 4;
Hertha, *Japan*, *Gladstone*, *Obi*, *Patience*,
17; *Sarpedon*, *Vivandrea*, *Mtn*, 11;
Orion, 14.

HOMEWARD BOUND.—*Morda*, *Rickmers*,
St. Neger, Dec. 21; *Maria*, 24.

Mails.

The O. & O. s. s. *Doric*, with the Yokohama Mail of 23rd Decr, leaves Yokohama on Tuesday, the 18th Jan, and may be expected here on or about the 25th Jan.

The P. M. s. s. *China*, with mails &c, left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, Island Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 6th Jan.

Steamers Expected.

The R. L. s. s. *Doris* Eichlers left Singapore on the 10th Jan, and may be expected here on or about the 17th Jan.

pure for this port on the 11th Jan., and is expected to arrive here on the 18th Jan.

The C. M. Co.'s str. *Ningbohow*, from Glasgow, left Singapore for this port on the morning of 18th Jan., and is expected here on or about the 16th Jan.

The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. *Amphrys* left Singapore for this port on the morning of 12th Jan.

The S. I. K. s.s. *Hiroshima Maru* left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of Jan. 12th, and is expected to arrive here on the afternoon of 18th Jan.

The s.s. *Kwong*, from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Wednesday, the 12th Jan., at 1 p.m.

The s.s. *Amoy Maru*, left Singapore for this port on the morning of 12th Jan.

may reach this port on the 10th inst. and is expected to arrive here on the 21st Jan.

The N. G. L. s. *Bornida* left Singapore for this port on the 13th Jan., and due here on or about the 21st Jan.

The Extra N. D. L. s. *Darmstadt* left Colombo on Tuesday, the 11th Jan., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 21st Jan.

The P. & O. Co.'s s. *Hydrunt* left Bombay for this port on the 8th Jan.

The N. P. Co.'s s. *Victoria* sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 8th Jan.

The N. P. Co.'s s. *Lombard* sailed from Portland, for Japan and Hongkong on the 8th Jan.

Latest Arrivals.

The P. M. S. s. *City of Peking*, with

The N. Y. K. s. s. *Kagawana Maru* left Shimonoeki for this port on the evening of 16th Jan, and is expected to arrive here on the 21st Jan.

The M. M. C. s. s. *Sydney*, with the FREAGER, MAIL, left Saigon on Saturday, 15th, at 9 p.m., for this port.

The Royal Lancashire Regiment held a field day, to-day, at the Happy Valley.

There were 291 European and 8,860 Chinese visitors to the City Hall Museum during the week ending 18th Jan.

The meeting of the shareholders in the Lukut Planting Co., convened for to-day.

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<p>PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.</p>		
Steamers.	Destinations.	Sailing Dates.
TOSA MARU, C. HILICHOAT.	KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	WEDNESDAY, 12th Jan., at Daylight.
HIROSHIMA MARU, N. OHNO.	KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	FRIDAY, 14th Jan., at Noon.
SAGAMI MARU, M. J. CURNOW.	SHANGHAI, JENNEH, SHI- MONOSEKI and KOBE.	FRIDAY, 15th Jan., at 4 p.m.
OMI MARU, C. YOUNG.	NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	MONDAY, 24th Jan., at Noon.
YAMAGUCHI MARU, S. KAWAMURO.	SINGAPORE COLOMBO and BOMBAY.	TUESDAY, 25th Jan., at Noon.
*KAGOSHIMA MARU, W. THOMPSON.	SEATTLE, Wash. U.S.A., Via KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	THURSDAY, 27th Jan., at 4 p.m.
YAMASHIRO MARU, J. JONES.	SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, Via THAMES, ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE, KEPPEL HAY and BARRAN.	FRIDAY, 28th Jan., at 4 p.m.
INABA MARU,	MARSEILLE, LONDON, NEW- CASTLE and ANTWERP.	THURSDAY, 3rd

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Yakima.....	2143	P. F. Fennbridge.....	Feb. 27	Presmar.....	3201	S. Porter.....	March 3
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Hongkong, January 12, 1898. General Agents. 89

“MOGUL” LINE OF STEAMERS.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
STEAMSHIP CHALKER.
FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN CO., at Kowloon, whence and for the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted unless the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underinsured on or before the 20th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th Instant, at 9 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hongkong, January 14, 1898. 109

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
STEAMSHIP “PREUSSEN.”

THE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

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Hongkong, September 3, 1898. 1786

WINDSOR HOTEL, HONGKONG.

THIS Establishment, situated in the elegant building known as "CONNAUGHT HOUSE," offers First-Class Accommodation to Residents and Travellers. Passenger Elevator from Entrance Hall to each floor, in charge of experienced Attendants. Favourable Arrangements made for Families and for Monthly or Extended Periods.

BILLIARDS.

P. BOHM, Proprietor and Manager.

Hongkong, September 27, 1897. 1927

THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM.

THIS Establishment has undergone extensive alterations. THE DINING ROOM being now upstairs, and a Large BILLIARD ROOM (having Two 1 Burningham and Watts' Tables) being added to the Hotel.

Rooms for Private Dinners.

Entrances:—Lee House Lane, Queen's Road, and Duddell Street.

J. C. GOODCHILD, Manager.

1899 THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM.

SHARE LIST—QUOTATIONS—JANUARY 17, 1898.

Stocks. No. of Shares. Value. Paid up. Closing Quotations.

BANKS.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 80,000 12 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Bank of China and Japan, Limited. 39,950 2 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Bank of Communications, Limited. 1,250 2 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

National Bank of China, Limited. 1,250 2 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

MARINE INSURANCE.

China Marine Insurance Co., Ltd. 10,000 25 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

China Trade Insurance Co., Ltd. 24,000 83 3/4 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

North-China Insurance Co., Ltd. 10,000 100 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Straits Insurance Co., Ltd. 30,000 100 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Union Insurance Society, Ltd. 10,000 25 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Yong Sang Insurance Association, Ltd. 5,000 100 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

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China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. 20,000 100 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. 9,000 250 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

HONG & WHAMPONG DOCK CO., Ltd. 12,500 12 1/2 all 227 1/2 prem. = \$408.75.

REINSURANCE.

China and South Sea S. S. Co., Ltd. 5,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited. 20,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

H. K. & M. Steamship Co., Ltd. 80,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Indo-China S. N. Co., Limited. 80,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

China Mutual S. N. Co., Limited. 20,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

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China Sugar Company, Limited. 20,000 100 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Luckin Sugar Company, Limited. 7,000 100 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

WHARVES.

H. K. & Kow Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd. 20,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited. 2,000 100 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

LAND AND BUILDING.

Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ltd. 50,000 100 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Agency Company, Limited. 8,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Kowloon Land and Building Company, Ltd. 8,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Hampshire Estate & Finance Co., Ltd. 25,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

West Point Building Co., Limited. 15,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

TRANSPORT.

H. K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd. 1,250 100 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Jebeu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd. 40,000 5 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

New Pung Mining Co., Ltd. 30,000 1 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Great Eastern and Malayan Co., Ltd. 18,000 5 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Gold Mining Co., Ltd. 52,000 5 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Société Française des Charbonnages de Tonkin. 12,000 Fcs. 500 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd. 50,000 1 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Preference shares. 75,000 1 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd. 20,000 1 13/10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Oliver Freehold Mines, Ltd. 14,000 5 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

PLANTING, ETC.

China-Borneo Company, Ltd. 7,500 100 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

H. G. Brown & Co., Limited. 6,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

ROTTEN, ETC.

Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd. 12,000 50 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

DISPERSEMENTS.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited. 60,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

H. K. and China Gas Co., Limited. 7,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited. 30,000 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

BRICK AND CEMENT.

Green Island Cement Co., Ltd. 20,000 11 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

ELL'S ASBESTOS CEMENT WORKS, Ltd. 10,000 1 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited. 1,200 10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Geo. Fawcett & Co., Limited. 8,000 5 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd. 10,000 7 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Hongkong Ice Company, Limited. 5,000 2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd. 5,000 5 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. 10,000 100 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

New Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd. 10,000 10 1/10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Intercontinental Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd. 10,000 10 1/10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Loan-Sing-Ming Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd. 8,000 10 1/10 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Carmichael & Co., Ltd. 2,000 2 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

Boy Choo Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd. 2,000 2 1/2 all 186 1/2 prem. = \$357.00.

FOUNDER'S SHARES.

Chinese Imperial 1895 1/10 187,500 1/10 200 1/2 p. ann. 10 p. ann.

At 8 p. ann. 10 p. ann.

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THE CHINA AND JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG EXCHANGE, OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

LIST OF EXCHANGE SUBSCRIBERS.

No. 123—Aberdeen, Paper Mills Office.

130—Aberdeen, Paper Mills.

40—Anderson, Capt., East Point.

24—Anderson, Capt., Praya Central.

8—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

187—Bailey's Engineering Agency.

108—Beck, J. M., Residence.

143—Bell Associates Co.

172—Benjamin S. S., Residence.

143—Benjamin, Kelly & Potts.

70—Bourne & Co., Residence.

65—Blackhead & Co., Soap Factory.

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13—Bocuing, G. D., Residence.

95—Bradley & Co.

164—Brick Co., Deep Water Bay.

194—E. J. Buller, Residence.

122—Burnie & Goddard Capt.

32—Butterfield & Swire, Peak Residence.

364—Do. do. Quarry Bay.

18—Do. do. Shipping Office.

36—Do. do. Sugar Office.

75—Coldbeck, Macgregor & Co.

42—Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

126—Canton Insurance Co.

133—Cardwell & Co.

111—Carmichael & Co.

134—Carmichael H. F., Residence.

102—Chai On Insurance Co.

238—Chen Chay, Residence.

22—China Mail Office.

180—China Merchants Office.

180A—Do. do. Godown.

72—China Sugar Refinery, East Point.

71—Do. do. Town Office.

160—Chow Tung, Shang, Residence.

183—Colbold, Rev. R. F., Residence.

168—Colonial Secretary's Office.

63—Commodore's Residence, Peak.

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87—Commodore, D. Lapaik & Co., Office.

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